

The Honorable Robert S. Lasnik

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

MARK G. & BERNIE D. STROM,

Plaintiffs,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Defendant.

Case No. C06-00802RSL

STIPULATION AND ORDER
TO MODIFY THE AMENDED
ORDER SETTING TRIAL DATE
& RELATED DATES OF
NOVEMBER 21, 2007

The parties, by and through their undersigned counsel, hereby stipulate to modifying the Amended Order Setting Trial Date & Related Dates (Docket No. 18) entered on November 21, 2007. The parties stipulate to the postponement of the dates set forth in the Court's Minute Order by approximately sixty (60) days to afford the parties additional time to explore a potential out-of-court resolution of this case through mediation. The parties have contemporaneously filed a motion to assign a mediator to this case.

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WHEREFORE, the parties have respectfully stipulated to the following revised dates:

EVENT
DATE

REVISED

TRIAL DATE

September 8, 2008

All motions related to discovery must be noted on the motion calendar no later than the Friday before discovery closes pursuant to CR7(d)(3) or CR37(a)(2)(B)

Discovery completed by

May 2, 2008

All dispositive motions must be filed and noted on the motion calendar by no later than the fourth Friday thereafter (see CR 7(d))

June 6, 2008

Settlement conference per CR 39.1(c)(2) held no later than

March 31, 2008

Mediation per CR 39.1(c)(3) held no later than

April 30, 2008

All motions in limine must be filed by and noted on the motion calendar seven judicial days thereafter pursuant to CR7(d)(2)

August 1, 2008

Agreed pretrial order due

August 15, 2008

Pretrial conference to be scheduled by the Court

Trial briefs and trial exhibits due

August 26, 2008

Length of Trial: 4 days

Non Jury

1 DATED this 15th day of February, 2008.

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22 IT IS SO ORDERED that the Amended Order Setting Trial Date & Related Dates dated
23 November 21, 2007 is amended as set forth in the above stipulation.

24 Dated this 25th day of February, 2008.

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26 Robert S. Lasnik
United States District Judge